

**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL**

(1) DEPARTMENT Social Services	(2) MEETING DATE 5/8/2012	(3) CONTACT/PHONE Kat Lauterback 781-1896	
(4) SUBJECT Request to approve a resolution proclaiming May 2012 as "San Luis Obispo County Older Americans Month"			
(5) RECOMMENDED ACTION It is recommended that the Board proclaim May 2012 as "San Luis Obispo County Older Americans Month."			
(6) FUNDING SOURCE(S) n/a	(7) CURRENT YEAR FINANCIAL IMPACT \$0.00	(8) ANNUAL FINANCIAL IMPACT \$0.00	(9) BUDGETED? n/a
(10) AGENDA PLACEMENT <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Consent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Presentation (Time Est. _____) <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing (Time Est. _____) <input type="checkbox"/> Board Business </div>			
(11) EXECUTED DOCUMENTS <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Resolutions <input type="checkbox"/> Contracts </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinances <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A </div>		(12) BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED? BAR ID Number: N/A <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> 4/5th's Vote Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A </div>	
(13) OUTLINE AGREEMENT REQUISITION NUMBER (OAR) N/A		(14) W-9 <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes </div>	
(15) LOCATION MAP N/A	(16) BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT? No	(17) AGENDA ITEM HISTORY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A Date _____	
(18) ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE REVIEW Emily Jackson			
(19) SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) All Districts -			

County of San Luis Obispo



TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Social Services / Kat Lauterback
781-1896

DATE: 5/8/2012

SUBJECT: Request to approve a resolution proclaiming May 2012 as "San Luis Obispo County Older Americans Month"

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board proclaim May 2012 as "San Luis Obispo County Older Americans Month."

DISCUSSION

Each year, the state and the nation commemorate May as "Older Americans Month" to highlight the special needs of our senior citizens and their contributions to our society. In April 1999, the Board formally recognized the Adult Services Policy Council (ASPC) as the countywide collaborative tasked with providing planning, development and system design and service integration to improve and expand services for adults and seniors. The ASPC target population is seniors and adults with disabilities who utilize publicly funded health and human services. The recognition of "Older Americans Month" by our Board of Supervisors underscores the role of older Americans in shaping our communities and the work of the ASPC to improve the lives of the elderly in San Luis Obispo County.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT/IMPACT

The Department of Social Services provides a management employee to act as the Adult Services Coordinator on a half-time basis.

The Adult Services Policy Council members represent over 45 private, non-profit and public service providers and boards and commissions:

Boards and Commissions Members:

Adult Abuse Prevention Council
Commission on Aging
Drug and Alcohol Advisory Board
Health Commission
HIV Prevention, Advocacy and Care Consortium

Homeless Services Coordinating Council
Medical Society of San Luis Obispo
Mental Health Advisory Board
SLO Supportive Housing Consortium
SLO County Board of Supervisors

Non-Profit Agencies:

AIDS Support Network & SLO Hep C Project
Independent Living Resource Center
Alzheimer's Association
LTC Ombudsman
Area Agency on Aging

Peoples' Self Help Housing
Arroyo Grande Community Hospital
Ride-On Transportation
Coast Caregiver Resource Center
Senior Nutrition Program

Community Health Centers of the Central Coast
Senior Peer Counseling
Community Action Partnership of SLO County
Retired Senior Volunteer Services
French Hospital Medical Center
Transitions/Mental Health Assoc.
Hospice of San Luis Obispo County
Tri-Counties Regional Center
Hospice Partners of the Central Coast
United Way of San Luis Obispo
CenCal Health
Independent Living Resource Center

LifeSteps Foundation
LTC Ombudsman Service of SLO County
North County Connection
United Cerebral Palsy
Wilshire Community Foundation
Caring Callers / Creative
Mediation / Senior Peer Counseling /
Good Neighbor Program
Transitional Food & Shelter
San Luis Coastal Adult School
Senior Legal Services
SLO County Health Commission

Private Entities:

Bates Care Case Management
Client Care Consultants
Sierra Vista Medical Center
Twin Cities Community Center

Mariposa Music Therapy
Martin Meltz
Family Home Care
Catholic Healthcare West

Public Agencies:

San Luis Obispo County Departments:

Administrative

Board of Supervisors

District Attorney's Office/Victim/Witness Assistance

Health Agency:

Public Health / Public Guardian / MediCal Services / Behavioral Health / Mental Health/
Drug and Alcohol Services

Housing Authority

Probation

Sheriff

Social Services / Adult Services

Veteran's Services

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

None

RESULTS

By proclaiming May 2012 as "San Luis Obispo County Older Americans Month," the Board of Supervisors will raise awareness of the contributions of our older citizens, the needs of our aging citizenry today, and help pave the way toward creating a healthier community for future generations of seniors.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Resolution Proclaiming May 2012 as "Older Americans Month" in San Luis Obispo County